

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5005, AS REPORTED**OFFERED BY _____**

Strike section 402(5) of the bill (and redesignate subsequent paragraphs accordingly).

In section 502(1) of the bill, strike “Except as provided in section 402, the” and insert “The”.

At the end of title 5 of the bill, add the following (and conform the table of contents of the bill accordingly):

1 **SEC. 506. ROLE OF FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**
2 **AGENCY.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—The functions of the Federal
4 Emergency Management Agency include, but are not lim-
5 ited to, the following:

6 (1) All functions and authorities prescribed by
7 the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emer-
8 gency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.).

9 (2) Carrying out its mission to reduce the loss
10 of life and property and protect the Nation from all
11 hazards by leading and supporting the Nation in a
12 comprehensive, risk-based emergency management
13 program—

14 (A) of mitigation, by taking sustained ac-
15 tions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to



1 people and property from hazards and their ef-
2 fects;

3 (B) of preparedness, by building the emer-
4 gency management profession to prepare effec-
5 tively for, mitigate against, respond to, and re-
6 cover from any hazard by planning, training,
7 and exercising;

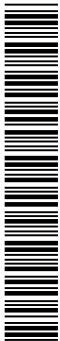
8 (C) of response, by conducting emergency
9 operations to save lives and property through
10 positioning emergency equipment and supplies,
11 through evacuating potential victims, through
12 providing food, water, shelter, and medical care
13 to those in need, and through restoring critical
14 public services;

15 (D) of recovery, by rebuilding communities
16 so individuals, businesses, and governments can
17 function on their own, return to normal life,
18 and protect against future hazards; and

19 (E) of increased efficiencies, by coordi-
20 nating efforts relating to preparedness and re-
21 sponse activities to maximize efficiencies.

22 (b) FEDERAL RESPONSE PLAN.—

23 (1) ROLE OF FEMA.—Notwithstanding any
24 other provision of this Act, the Federal Emergency
25 Management Agency shall remain the lead agency



1 for the Federal Response Plan established under Ex-
2 ecutive Order 12148 (44 Fed. Reg. 43239) and Ex-
3 ecutive Order 12656 (53 Fed. Reg. 47491).

4 (2) REVISION OF RESPONSE PLAN.—Not later
5 than 60 days after the date of enactment of this
6 Act, the Director of the Federal Emergency Man-
7 agement Agency shall revise the Federal Response
8 Plan to reflect the establishment of and incorporate
9 the Department.

